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# The Lincoln-Douglas Debates 1858

**Quincy Debate Centennial** 

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#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TIME:	EVENT:	PLACE:	
THURSDAY	OCTOBER 9	"CORONATION DAY"	
12 noon	Blowing of whistles, ringing of bells to a	nnounce the official	
1:00	beginning of the celebration. Registration of guests and visitors	Hospitality Center Lincoln-Douglas Headquarters	
2:00 7:00	Historical Exhibits Announcement of Winner in Essay Contest	Local Merchants Quincy High School Gymnasium	
8:00	First performance of "Prelude of Progress"	Cuincy High School Cymnasium	
FRIDAY	OCTOBER 10	"PARADE DAY"	
9:00	visitors	Hospitality Center Lincoln-Douglas HQ	
10:00	Grand Centennial Parade	Downtown Quincy	
1:00	Historical Exhibits	Local Merchants	
2:00	Band Concert	Washington Park	
2:30	Special Addresses	Washington Park	
3:15	Awards to essay winners	Wasnington Park	
3:45	Planting of tree by essay winner	Washington Park	
7:00	Presentation of Parade Awards	C. H. S. Gym	
8:00	Second performance of "Prelude of Progress" CHS Gym		
SATURDAY	OCTOBER 11	"HONECOMEING DAY"	
9:00	Registration of guests and visitors	Hospitality Center Lincoln-Douglas HQ	
10:00	Football Clinic	Q-Stadium	
11:00	Antique Auto Exhibit	5th Street between	
11.00		and Hampshire.	
3 - 00	Historical Exhibits	Local Herchants	
1:00		South Park	
2:00	Contests for children		
7:00	Emery Meyers"Tap Dancing Farmer"	Q. H. S. Cym	
7:30	Children's contests awards	C. H. S. Gym	
8:00	Third performance of "Prelude of		
	Progress"	Q. H. S. Gym	
SUNDAY	OCTOBER 12 "MUSIC APPR	ECLATION DAY"	
Morning	Attend the church of choice Pray for pea	ce	
12 noon	Registration of guests and visitore	Hospitality Center Lincoln-Douglas HQ	
122 - 64	Antique Auto Show 5th St. bet	ween Maine and Hamp.	
All afternoon	Quincy Concert Band	Washington Park	
1:00	Quincy Concert Dand		
2:00	Highlanders of University of Iowa	Washington Fark	
3:00	Kirksville Band	Washington Park	
4.00	High School Band	Washington Park	
3:00	Fourth performance of "Prelude of Progress	" CHS Gym	
MONDAX	OCTOBER 13 "DIC	NITARY RECOGNITION DAY"	
9:00	Registration of guests and visitors	Hospitality Center	
9:30	Presentation of Portrait	Court room	
10:00	Exhibits	Local Herchants	
12:00	Luncheon for special guests		
1:00	Introduction of guests and dignitaries	Washington Park	
	Special addresses by guests and dignitarie		
2:00			
6:00	Dedication of U. S. Army Reserve Armory	East Broadway	
7:00	Shaving contest	Q. H. S. Gym	
8:00	Final performance of "Prelude of Progress"	C H S Gym	



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- ♦ CORONATION OF "MISS CENTENNIAL"
  THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9 8:00 P.M.
- ◆ GRAND CENTENNIAL PARADE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10 — 10:00 A.M.
- ANTIQUE AUTO SHOW SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11-12 — 1:00 P.M.
- ◆ "THE HIGHLANDERS" FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12 — 2:00 P.M.
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Thursday night		Notre Dame High Schoo				
Friday night		Quincy Concert Band Quincy High School Bar	24			
Sunday night		Quincy High School Orc Notre Dame High School	thestra and Chorus			
Monday night		Notre Dame High School	l Orchestra			
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PROLOGUE	Ç,		dana (Continued)			
Judy Watkins	Norma Belyea	Indian Women and Chil Marsha Humphrey	Norma Schnellbacher			
Ruth Ward	Kathie Weiss	Nina DiLoreto	Ruth Hagar			
Sherri Meyer	Tamara Miller	Enid Humphrey	Maris Brenner			
Helen Ann Sohl Mary Ehrhart	Marcy Meerstein Barbara Walbring	Bob Kinnard Luella Pryor	Susan Kessell John Lammers			
Fran Belyer	Jackie Bean	Cathy Pryor	Joel Bland			
Jeanne Pratt	Donna Ehrhardt	Bill Pryor	Kathy Albright			
Jean Damhorst Patty McCune	Gay Miller Johnalee Dirks	Indian Chiefs and Bray				
Vickie Nelson	Lynn McDonald	Michael Prokopeak Tony Petromilli	Ben Runde Dave Kraus			
Joyce Thomas Kay McCune	Dorothy Reinold Margie Saunders	Don Saali	Bill Lhotka			
NARRATORS	Margie Saunders	George Dee	Tom Sensenbrenner			
Mary Belle Swansen	Robert Turek	Bill Dorley John Flynn	John Carmichael Jim Willey			
Mary Harvey Colgan	Bill Wegman	Ray Webbe	J			
Catherine Winsor	Lane Miller	GRANNY'S MOVIN'				
Beverly Buzzard Susan Janes	Kenny Glasscock John Rapp	Mrs. Marvin Grimmer	Mrs. and Mr. Tryon			
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Bearded A. Lincoln		Connie Tucker	S. Massingill			
Unbearded A. Lincoln	Frank Cozean	Debbie Tucker	Steffi Sacadat			
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Aide to Douglas		Charles Pryor	Helen Holeman			
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Larry Waterkotte		Kent Adams Clark Presson	Leanne Howerter Cathye Schat			
Indian Women and Ch		Pat Andrews	Bob Skender			
Geneva Burns	Vivian Hoener	James A. Rapp	Charles Matthews Laura Kent			
Ruth Bywater Lois Fanos	Mary Beth Hoener Debbie Hoener	David Janes Cheryl Heidbreder	Roger Kent			
Mildred Blaud	Bob Helmer	Becky Gelston	Bill DuPuy			
Evelyn Kurz	David Brosi	Lynne Gelston				

Iron Horse		Little Egypt: (Continued)				
3 dignitaries.	jolin Duncan	Sheila Thomlinson	Susan Siepker			
	Jim Humphry	Jean Bernbrock	Mary Kulilman			
	Henry Gehrt	Maureen McLaughlin	Carmen Creech			
Man and Woman in Suit	teast Bit. Connie Coffman	Sharon Hamilton	Jan Brockschmidt			
	John Coffman	Carolyn Jansen	Dianna Bradlay			
HOUSE DIVIDED	(Ballet)	Justine Dicker	Connie Griggs			
	Grant Bischoff	Constance Dieker				
	Ken Garver		Musolino Dance Studio			
J. 1. Tolines	Ken Garver	Little Egpyt				
Dancers:		Barker	Bill Mast			
Larry Sutton	Steve Sanders	LEST WE FORGET				
Dick Vance	Wanda Wilson					
Bob Dahl	Jim Couchman	Newsboys:	Douald Pickett			
Gay Miller	Bob Clelland	Ronald Pickett	Larry Kasparie			
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Poben Thompson	Sandy Daugherty	Mary Brocker	Lynn McDonald			
Donna Ehrhardt	Kathy Weis	Diane McCaughey	Jackie Rottman			
Charlotte Cookson	Nan Randolph	Vivian Peters	Marian Schweiter			
Earl Hankins	Clarice Bell	Joyce Welper	Judy Rees			
Shirley Johnson	Gary Paben	Nan Randolph	Ann Spilker			
Truman Finney	Bob Winters	Shirley Meyers	Barb Bennett			
Todd Miller	Mel Ehrhardt	Lee Lindsay	Karen Schlottman			
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Charles Nixon	Mary Lou Schaefer	Shirley Weber	Joan Bernbrock			
Oliver Hunter		Vicki Weber	Maureen McLaughlin			
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George Mason	Celester Parker	Carole Keller	Carolyn Jausen			
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GAY 90'S		Johnalce Dirks	Art Squires, Ir.			
Judy Vaughn	Signe Jacobsen	Loretta West Johnalee Dirks Clara Bow				
Madelyn Peters	Geneva Burns	Rudolph Valentino				
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		Joyce Brinkman	Carol Simson			
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Dave Arp	Shirley Johnson	Kristine Jacobson	Pamela Winter			
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Alvin Grawe	Nan Randolph	Susan Hagler				
Little Egypt:		SMALL HOOLA HOOPS				
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